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In re Application of
Oommen P. Thomas et al.

Appl. No. 09/474,043

Filed: December 28, 1999

For: BREATHABLE COMPOSITE
ELASTIC MATERIAL HAVING A
CELLULAR ELASTOMERIC FILM
LAYER AND METHOD OF MAKING
SAME

Confirmation No. 1780

Examiner: Watkins III, William P.
Art Unit: 1772

Attorney Docket No.: 141509.00000-P1141US00
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136a

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Sir:

The above-identified applicant respectfully requests a two month extension of time within which to file a response to the Office Action mailed January 13, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Extension of Time fee of \$420 and any additional petition fees required under 37 CFR §1.136a or 1.16, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-1429. Should any other Petitions for Extensions of Time or fees therefore be necessary to adequately respond to the present Office Action, Applicant respectfully requests same and the Examiner is authorized to charge any additional petition fees to Deposit Account 50-1429.

Respectfully submitted,
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